Hamilton Grange

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Veteran Alexander Hamilton: His military career explored Saturday, Nov. 15, 2014 11:30am & 2:30 pm

In honor of Veterans Day November 11, Hamilton Grange National Memorial will host an illustrated presentation on Alexander Hamilton's experience fighting in the American Revolutionary War.

Talks are at 11:30am and 2:30pm in the Media Room and are approximately 30 minutes long. Seating is limited to 25.



Hamilton's military career ascended from a common New York militiaman to an artillery officer in the Continental Army to an influential member of General Washington's staff. He served for practically the duration of the conflict, and it shaped his views for the rest of his life.

Hamilton and the Patriots won hard-fought battles at Bunker Hill, Saratoga, and Yorktown but also lost more battles than they won. And, like any war, the Revolution was filled with hard times, loss of life, disease and suffering. In fact, the Revolution had one of the highest casualty rates of any U.S. war; only the Civil War was bloodier.

The ranger presentation digs deeper into Hamilton's war career to better understand how the Patriots fought and ultimately won their independence.



Plan Your Visit

Hamilton Grange National Memorial, located in St. Nicholas Park on 141st Street between St. Nicholas and Convent avenues, is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday.

The visitor center (bookstore, exhibits, restrooms) is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Visitation to the historically furnished floor is limited to 15 visitors at any time. Ranger-led and self-guided options are scheduled daily.

There are numerous ways to get to Hamilton Grange using public transportation. Visit www.mta.info for more information and maps.

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